INVESTIGATION OF PENSION CASES.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

TRANSMITTING.

At the request of the Secretary of the Interior, an additional estimate of appropriation for investigation of pension cases for the current fiscal year.

OCTOBER 9, 1893.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, October 6, 1893.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith, at the request of the Secretary of the Interior, an additional estimate of appropriation, \$300,000, for investigation of pension cases, Pension Office, for the service of the current fiscal year.

Respectfully, yours,

J. G. CARLISLE,

Secretary.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Washington, September 22, 1893.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith a supplemental estimate of \$300,000, being in addition to the \$200,000 already appropriated for the current fiscal year for "investigation of pension cases, Pension Office," and ask the early and favorable action of Congress thereon.

Very respectfully,

Hoke Smith, Secretary.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,
Washington, D. C., September 22, 1893.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith an urgent supplemental estimate for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, in the investigation of pension cases in this Bureau, amounting to \$300,000.

Very respectfully,

WM. LOCHREN, Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

Estimates of appropriations required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, by the Bureau of Pensions, Department of the Interior.

Investigation of pension cases, Pension Office:

Per diem, when absent from home and traveling on duty outside the District of Columbia, for special examiners or other persons employed in the Bureau of Pensions, detailed for the purpose of making special investigations pertaining to said Bureau, in lieu of expenses for subsistence, not exceeding \$3 per day, and for actual and necessary expenses for transportation and assistance: *Provided*, That the chief and assistant chief of the division of special examiners may be allowed per diem not exceeding \$3 per day and actual and necessary expenses for transportation and assistance, when it shall be found necessary for them to be absent from home and traveling on duty outside the District of Columbia. (March 3, 1893, vol. 27, p. 705, sec. 1.) \$300,000 Amount appropriated for the fiscal year for which the appropriation is

200,000